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Other Documents		
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	A1	American Society for Testing Materials (ASTM) Designation: D 3575-93, "Standard Test Methods for Flexible Cellular Materials Made From Olefin Polymers," published November 1993, pages 368-375.
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